Maine Revised Statutes

Title 10: COMMERCE AND TRADE

Chapter 13: SMALL ENTERPRISE GROWTH PROGRAM

§382. DEFINITIONS

As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise indicates, the following terms have the following meanings. [1995, c. 699, §3 (NEW).]

1. Board. "Board" means the Small Enterprise Growth Board.

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[ 1995, c. 699, §3 (NEW) .]
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2. Fund. "Fund" means the Small Enterprise Growth Fund.

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[ 1995, c. 699, §3 (NEW) .]
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3. Program. "Program" means the Small Enterprise Growth Program, which encompasses the Small Enterprise Growth Fund and any side fund created by the board.

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[ 2009, c. 475, §1 (AMD) .]
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3-A. Program funds. "Program funds" means the Small Enterprise Growth Fund and any side funds created by the board.

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[ 2009, c. 475, §2 (NEW) .]
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4. Qualifying small business. "Qualifying small business" means, for the purpose of an initial disbursement by the board under section 388, a business employing 50 or fewer employees or having gross sales not exceeding \$5,000,000 within the most recent 12 months for which financial statements are available. For the purpose of a subsequent disbursement, "qualifying small business" means a business to which the board has previously made a disbursement and that, in the judgment of the board, evidences continued potential for high growth.

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[ 2001, c. 541, §1 (AMD) .]
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5. **Side fund.** "Side fund" means a fund other than the Small Enterprise Growth Fund administered by the board that is invested as determined by the board.

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[ 2009, c. 475, §3 (NEW) .]

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